



ANNE ARUNDEL
COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Student Application for *The Extended Learning Program* *The International Baccalaureate Diploma Programme*

Annapolis, Meade, and Old Mill High Schools are pleased to offer the *Extended Learning Program (ELP)*, a rigorous pre-university program for academically able and motivated students, which is preparation for the *International Baccalaureate Diploma Programme*.

A student may apply for admission only to the school assigned to his/her home school based on the identified criteria listed below. Current eighth grade students apply for selection into a two-year program beginning in the 2006–2007 school year. This program will be followed by the two-year *International Baccalaureate Diploma Programme*, in the junior and senior years. Annapolis and Old Mill High Schools are fully authorized to offer the IB Diploma Programme.

Important Information

All applications are contingent on fiscal approval of the 2006–07 budget.

A. Criteria for selection:

1. Academic preparation
 - a. a minimum of a "B" (3.0) grade point average in grade 7

and

 - b. current enrollment in, or completion of, Algebra I

and

 - c. current enrollment in, or completion of, Level I or equivalent of a world language.
2. Performance on standardized tests
 - a. scores of Proficient or Advanced in MSA Reading and Mathematics for grade 7

or

 - b. scores in the 60 percentile or above on nationally normed tests in Reading, Language, and Mathematics.

B. Application process

1. Complete the **Student Application** and mail to the IB Coordinator of your assigned IB School (see below). Completed application forms must be received by your assigned IB school or postmarked **no later than Thursday, December 1, 2005. Applications received after the deadline may not be eligible.**
2. You will receive acknowledgement of your application by mail. Please keep a copy of the application and acknowledgement for your records.
3. Attach a copy of the **7th (final) and 8th grade** (first marking period) **report cards** along with a copy of the **Test Data Card** which you must request from your Guidance Counselor.
5. Following the selection, decision letters will be mailed **no later than Thursday, January 5, 2006.**
6. Acceptance of placement offers must be received by your IB school **no later than Friday, January 13, 2006.**
7. Successful applicants will be required to attend a welcome and registration meeting:

ELP/IB School	Date	Snow Date
Annapolis HS	1/31/06	2/7/06
Meade HS	1/25/06	2/1/06
Old Mill HS	1/18/06	2/1/06

All meetings are from 7:00–8:30 p.m.



ELP/IB School Assignments

If your home middle school is:

Annapolis Middle
Arundel Middle
Bates Middle
Central Middle

Crofton Middle
Magothy Middle
Severn River Middle
Southern Middle

MacArthur Middle
Meade Middle

Brooklyn Park Middle
Chesapeake Bay Middle
Corkran Middle
George Fox Middle
Lindale Middle

Marley Middle
Old Mill Middle North
Old Mill Middle South
Severna Park Middle

Your ELP/IB school is **Annapolis HS**

Your ELP/IB school is **Meade HS**

Your ELP/IB school is **Old Mill HS**

Send your application to:

Fawn Mete
IB Coordinator
Annapolis High School
2700 Riva Road · Annapolis, MD 21401

Send your application to:

Joan Valentine
Principal
Meade High School
1 Clark Road · Ft. Georges G. Meade, MD 20755

Send your application to:

Dr. Elizabeth Mitchell
IB Coordinator
Old Mill High School
600 Patriot Lane · Millersville, MD 21108

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**Extended Learning Program/
IB Diploma Programme Student Application**

- ☐ Annapolis High School
☐ Meade High School
☐ Old Mill High School
(see below)

Student Information

Last Name	First	Middle	Date of Birth (MM/DD/YYYY)	Grade Level
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Street Address

City	State MD	Zip
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Parent or Guardian (Primary Contact)	Daytime Phone	email address
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School Information

Home High School

Current Middle School	AACPS Home Middle School (if different from current middle school)
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Guidance Counselor	Telephone
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Student Statement

- I affirm that the information contained in this application is true to the best of my knowledge.
- I understand that the *Extended Learning Program* is a rigorous pre-university program of studies, and to remain in the program I must meet high standards of academic achievement.
- I understand that if I withdraw from the program, or if I am not successful in the program, I will return to my home school.
- I understand that I am expected to remain in the program for the entire academic year.

Student's Signature	Date
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Parent Statement

- I understand that all information submitted with the application will be maintained in confidence by all members of the screening committee.
- I understand that the *Extended Learning Program* is a demanding and rigorous program, and that if my child withdraws from the program, or is unsuccessful in the program, that he/she will return to his/her home school.
- I understand that my child is expected to remain in the program for the entire academic year.
- I understand that bus stops will be consolidated, with certain exceptions. Those bus stops may not be located within ordinary walking distances, and may have to be supported by private resources.
- I understand that all applications are contingent on fiscal approval of the 2006-07 budget.
- I support the application of my child to be considered for this program.

ELP/IB School Assignments

If your home middle school is:

Annapolis Middle Arundel Middle Bates Middle Central Middle Crofton Middle Magothy Middle Severn River Middle Southern Middle	MacArthur Middle Meade Middle	Brooklyn Park Middle Chesapeake Bay Mid. Corkran Middle George Fox Middle Lindale Middle Marley Middle Old Mill Middle North Old Mill Middle South Severna Park Middle
Your ELP/IB school is Annapolis HS	Your ELP/IB school is Meade HS	Your ELP/IB school is Old Mill HS
Send application to: Fawn Mete IB Coordinator Annapolis High School 2700 Riva Road Annapolis, MD 21401	Send application to: Joan Valentine Principal Meade High School 1 Clark Road · Ft. Meade, MD 20755	Send application to: Dr. Elizabeth Mitchell IB Coordinator Old Mill High School 600 Patriot Lane Millersville, MD 21108

Parent or Guardian's Signature (primary contact)	Date
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